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Applicant of: R. Douglas Cassel

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time filing an Appeal Brief in connection with the Notice of Appeal filed September 20, 2006, be extended for a period of five (5) months from November 20, 2006 to and including April 20, 2007.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1080 (Small Entity). Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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